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Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

Have This Day Established myself as a MERCHANT, and COMMISSION HARRY WICKING.

OLUB CHAMBERS, Hongkong, April 2, 1880.

NOTICE. TAR. PHILIPP ARNHOLD has been authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration in Hongkond and China. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880. NOTICE. MAR. ROBERT HOWIE and Mr. IVI & RONALD GREIG are authorized

to Sign our Firm per Procuration from this DEACON & Co. Canton, March 31, 1880.

NOTICE.

AR. N. C. STEVENS is hereby authoriged to Sign our Name by Procura-ELWRIL CEASING from this Date. RUSSELL & Co.

China, February 9, 1880. NOTIOE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed or Underwriters. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

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For Sale.

FOR BALE TULES MUMM & Co. CHAMPAGNE. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880. POR SALE BROADWOOD BOUDOIR GRAND PIANO, in perisot Condition.

Apply to R. LYALL, at Norton & Co., Queen's Road. Hongkong, March 81, 1880.

NOW READY.

PRICE, \$1.50.

COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW, BY E. H. PARKER Can be obtained from KRILLY & WALAR as Shanguel and Hongkong, At Laws. CRAWFORD & Od., Hongkong, and at the China Mall Office, Hougkong, December 8, 1879,

TO BE SOLD OF LET. Watt Buitz HOUSE on Northben Blope of Motor Krizer.
For Particulate, apply to H. A. WOOLNOUGH Hongkong Diepensary.

Hongkong, March 13, 1880.

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For Sale.

PEAR'S TRANSPARENT SOAPS in Tablets and Balls. HENDRIE'S Assorted PERFUMES. SILBER'S TABLE, BRACKET, and Hanging LAMPS (fitted with Storm Burners)
DEVOE'S KEROSINE (tested to 150° fahr.). American Reading LAMPS for Kerosine. REVOLVERS and CARTRIDGES.

TELESCOPES and FIELD GLASSES. PORTMANTEAUX and TRAVELLING BAGS, and RUG STRAPS. DESKS and DESPATOH BOXES. CHUBB'S CASH, PAPER, and DEED BOXES.

TAUCHNITZ and Other NOVELS. WORKS of REFERENCE. Table CUTLERY and PENKNIVES. GLASS and Electro-Plated WARE. CIGARS and Core's "Golden Cloud" TOBACCO. PIPES, OIGAR & Cigarette HOLDERS. Waterproof COATS (very light).

UMBRELLAS "Automaton Patent."

Lawn Tennis BATS and BALLS.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

Sparkling BURGUNDY. HOCK. MOSELLE. Breakfast and Dinner CLARETS. CHAMPAGNE, Kohnstamm. De Lossy. Pith HATS & HELMETS, Straw HATS.

Intimations,

NOTICE.

Annual General Meeting held yesterday.

Hongkong, April 22, 1880.

By Order, EDWARD BEART,

NOTIOE.

EALED TENDERS will be received

SHED at Kowloon, and separately, for

J. BREMNER.

Naval Storekeeper.

MEYER & Co.

Sundry Repairs to Buildings, &c.

H. M.'s Naval Yard.

Hongkong, 24th April, 1880.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

Auctions.

FURNITURE SALE.

TILEGANT and Substantial French

and English made HOUSEHOLD

FURNITURE to be sold by the Under-

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TUESDAY,

At No. 8, Mosque Terrace, on

the 4th May, 1880, at 2 o'Clock p.m.

delabra and Moderator Lamps,

the Style of Louis XV.)

French).

Most of the above Furniture is in

A Patent Hydropathic Douche Bath.

TERMS OF SALE .- As customary.

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD

PROPERTY.

BY THE UNDERSIGNED.

Under Instructions of the Lessor, on

MONDAY

the 10th day of May, 1880, at 4 p.m.,

"THE ORIENTAL HOTEL BUILDINGS,"

Lot 1,-Two HOUSES, Nos. 2 & 2A.

Lot 2,-One HOUSE, No. 2B, situ-

Lot 3.-One HOUSE, known as "The

ated in the Corners of Wyndham and

Oriental Hotel," in Wyndhain Street

monthly rental, \$360; Yearly Orown

The above will be sold in one or three

A portion of the purchase money can

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Lots, to suit purchasers.

be left on mortgage at 8 per cent.

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For full particulars, apply to

situated in Wyndham Street.

Wellington Streets.

Being Lot No. 138, and known as

Hongkong, April 26, 1880.

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BRANDY, WHISKY, GIN and RUM. ALE and STOUT, bottled by FOSTER. CROSSE and BLACKWELL'S STORES, French JAMS, &c., &c.

To Let.

TO LET. JITHE FIRST FLOOR of House No. 4 Praya East, together with the GROUND FLOOR, or separately.

GROUND FLOOR of Houses Nos. 3 Apply to

MEYER & Co., Hongkong, April 19, 1880.

TO LET.

THOREIGN DWELLING HOUSES in the Hollywood Road, containing Six Rooms and Qur. Houses. Nos. 3 and 9. SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1880.

VICTORIA PEAK-SUMMER RE-SIDENCE

TO LET. COMMODIOUS BUNGALOW, with Tennis Lawn, Servants' Quarters and Cook house. Apply to

J. G. SMITH & Co., 5, Duddell Street. Hongkong, March 81, 1880.

TO LET. N MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS. MEYER & Co. Apply to

Hongkong, July 25, 1879. TO LET. Furnished HOUSE in CAINE ROAD.

Apply H. A. WOOLNOUGH, Hongkong Dispensary. Hongkong, March 25, 1880. TO BE LET, on Lease for Building, a PIECE of GROUND, containing about

10,000 Equare Feet, at Spring Garden, on tion at Amoy, the Power held by Mr Inland Lot No. 199, commanding a good view of the harbour. Apply to BRERETON & WOTTON, Solicitors, 29, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, February 4, 1880. TO LET.

AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD FITWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16, Stanle Street, lately in the occupation of the TEMPERANCE HALL Two ROOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS. Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

Intimations.

NOTICE. A LL persons having CLAIMS against the Estate of the late B. R. Wick-HAM, in China, and all persons INDEBTED thereto, are requested to forward their olalms, and to make payment of their indebtedness to the undersigned, on or before the 80th proximo.

J. C. WARDLAW. Executor & Liquidator of the above Estate. Amoy, April 21, 1880. my24

DENTAL NOTICE. DR. ROGERS, now on a visit to Shand-HAR, will return to Hongkong early

in the Winter as usual. Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

NOTIOE OFFICE OF THE SHANGHAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.

Shanghai, 1st April, 1880. TWENTER RETURN of CAPITAL and A ACCUMULATIONS at the Rate of THREE TARLS, Two Macs and Rive Carpanens (Th. 8.25) per SHARE, will be made to Shareholders of Record on 2nd April, Payable at the Office of the Liquidators, on FRIDAY, Oth April Warrants will then be delivered by the Undersigned to Shareholders, or their lawful representatives on presentation of Share Certificates for Endorsement. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be ULOBED from the 2nd to the 91

April, includive.

By Order, RUSSELL & Co..

CHUBB's BOX, PAD and DOOR LOCKS. Summer HOSIERY. BROADWOOD'S PIANOS for SALE OF HIRE. Silicated Carbon FILTERS. SACCONE'S SHERRY.

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TOOLS comprise the following:--LATHES, all by first class makers,

Chucks, Screw Gear, &c. Four Double Gear and Single Gear DRILLING MACHINES, assorted sizes, by Smith Beacock & Tannett. One PLANING MACHINE, by same makers, 10 feet by 4 feet by 4 feet.

A MEETING of the MEMBERS of the Honokong CLUB will take place at the One Powerful SCREWING MA-Club House on WEDNESDAY, the 5th May next, at 4.80 p.m., for the purpose of confirming the Resolution passed at the CHINE, with Taps and Dies. One Eight Horse-power ENGIN and BOILER for Driving Machinery. One very Substantial 74 cwt. STEAM HAMMER, by Harvey & Co.

One Hundred and Fifty Feet DRIV ING SHAFTING, with Wall Brackets. Pulleys, &c. One Six Horse-power ENGINE and

by the Undersigned until Noon, on SATUXDAY, the 8th of May, for RECON-PATENT BLOWER, with Shafting, STRUCTING a part of the Walls of COAL &c.

Further information may be obtained on Stones, Laps, &c.

for Boiler Making. HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS. OODS RECEIVED on STORAGE at | ing and other branches of Engineering and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire Gonowns to be let. on Rails; small Drying Stoves and Core

> Trying Plates, Ship Frame Bending Plates, Boiler Plate Furnace.

BOXES and Iron Ladles, and Coal and Charcoal Grinder and Loam Bench. tions, and comprise Plain and Bevel

Gear Wheels, Pulleys, Furnace Bars and various Deck Fittings. Also, sets of High-pressure and Compound Engine Patterns, varying from 4 to 60 Horse-power, nominal, Vertical and Horizontal.

Assortment of Brass Fittings for Boilers Mahogany Velvet Covered Drawing Room Suit, Mahogany Marble-top Cen- and Engines, Copper Plates and Tubes, tre Table, Large Chimney Glass, Maho- Bolts and Nuts assorted, Boiler Plates, gany and Galvanized Iron Bedstead, with Boiler Tubes, Rivets, Washers, Charcoal Spring and Hair Matresses and Pillows. Sheet Iron; Bar Iron, assorted sizes; Wardrobe, with Plate Glass Front, Wal- a large quantity of Cast Steel Bars, nut Wood Dining Table, Chairs and Side Blister Steel, Cast Iron Sheaves, Cen-Board, Moderator Chandelier with Can- tres for Wood Sheaves, Pig Iron, Old Cast Iron, &c., &c.

One STEAM WINCH. Two HAND WINCHES. One JIB CRANE, complete.

Four STEAM BOILERS of various A Very Fine COTTAGE PIANO, Large Japanese Bronze Vases and

&c., complete, and VERY FAST. One Deck STEAM-LAUNCH, about my4 50 feet long, with Cabin, Compound

The whole of the Property will be offered for Sale in One Lot as a going 770 be Sold in the Premises by Public | concern; if not so sold, it will be put up for Sale in Lots, on TUESDAY, the Anotion (if not previously disposed 25th day of May next, and following

> Catalogues will be issued; the whole will be on view for one week previous here for the above Port, and to the Sale. Further particulars can be obtained from Messra Sharp, Toller & Johnson, solicitors, Supreme Court House, or from the Undersigned.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Auotionsera. Hongkong, April 20, 1880.

NOW READY.

CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT. PARCEL. and II., A to M, with Introduction. Royal Svo. pp. 404. By Easure Join Kirat Ph.D. Tübingen Price: Five Dullans, or Two Dollans. AND A HALF per Part. To be had from Messis LANE, CRAWFORD

& Co., Hongkong and Shanghai; and Mearas Kather & Watsu, Shanghal. Hongkong, March 1, 1878, Hongkong, April 26, 1880, my10

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Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION.

PO BE SOLD by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, the 25th day of May, 1880, at Noon, at "THE VICTORIA FOUNDRY," (If not previously sold by Private Contract, of which due notice will be given) The BUSINESS of ENGINEERS and SHIPWRIGHTS lately carried on by Messrs J. Inglis & Co., known as the "Victoria Foundry," situate at

Spring Gardens, Victoria, together with all the Valuable PLANT, MACHINE-RY, TOOLS and STOCK-IN-TRADE, and the TRADE FIXTURES and FIT-TINGS, and STEAM LAUNCHES, a Large Stock of Valuable PATTERNS and the GOODWILL of the BUSI-NESS.

The PLANT, MACHINERY, and

Six surfacing, sliding, screw cutting assorted heights and lengths, from 4 feet distance between centres to 20 feet ditto, and from 6 inch height of centres to 16 inch ditto, fitted with making-up Blocks, Face Plates, Driver Chucks and Dog

Silent Fan: and one 30 Fire Roots'

Two PUNCHING and SHEARING MACHINES.

Two Sets BENDING ROLLS One set GRINDING MACHINERY, Eighteen VICES, with Benches, &c., and Blacksmith's ANVILS, TOOLS,

FORGES, and all necessary Fittings Coppersmith's Iron and Brass Found-GODOWNS, under European supervision; sizes; Five Patent Brass Furnaces assorted for different sized Crucibles; large Drying Stove with Iron Carriage

A complete Stock of MOULDING

The PATTERNS are of all descrip- NEDERLANSON INDISOHE STOOM

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One pair of LIFTING SHEARS and One STEAM-LAUNCH, about 60 feet long, with House, Double Engines,

Engines, &c., complete.

Shipping.

Steamers.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HANKOW. (Calling at SHANGHAI if sufficient in ducement offer.)

The Steamship " Broconshire." STURROCK, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 29th Instant, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 27, 1880.

FOR MANILA. The Steamship Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above Port on THURSDAY, the 29th Inst., at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 27, 1880.

FOR COOKTOWN, SYDNEY, AND MELBOURNE. The Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Co.'s Steamer "Normanby," will be despatched as above on FRIDAY,

the 30th Instant, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, April 26, 1880.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship "Namoa,"
Capt. Westony, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 2nd May, at Day-

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, April 27, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Capt. J. KIRKPATRICK, once landed as will be despatched on or and expense.

about the 4th proximo. For Freight or Passago, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, April 22, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain A. Kidd, will be despatched on or about the 28th Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, April 22, 1880.

VAART-MAATSCHAPPY. STEAM FOR MANILA, MACASSAR. SOURABAYA, SAMARANG AND BATAVIA. The Co.'s Steamship "Gruaf von Bylandt,"
Oaptain E. C. WESELS,
will be despatched for

the above Ports, via Macao, on or about the 10 h Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, April 22, 1880.

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American ship " Llewellyn J. Morse," for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 24, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship Wm. H. Maroy."

Manov, Master, will load here

tor the above Port, and will bave quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Ho gkong, April 24, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark James B. Stone.

will have quick despatch.

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Hongkong, April 21, 1880.

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have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British Bark "Palestine." MAYNARD, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quiex despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1880. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship " "umaira " Captain CLOUGH, will load hers for the above Fort, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to Hongkong, March 27, 1880.

FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Bark " Peru," SMITH, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, March 15, 1880.

Notices to Consignees. NEDERLANSCH-INDISCHE STOOM-

VAART MAATSCHAPPY. FROM BATAVIA, SAMARANG, GOU_ RABAYA, MACASSAR & MANILA.

THE Steam-ship Graaf von Bylandt having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery

of their Goods Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees risk

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, April 27, 1880.

FROM YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKL THE S.S. Gleneagles having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for counteralguature, and to take immediate delivery

of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consigness risk JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, April 27, 1880. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE

THE S.S. Glenariney having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goodswith the exception of Upium-are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

noon To-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the lrd proximo will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Oc.

Hongkong, April 26, 1880.

otice to the contrary be given before

STEAM SHIP "PELHO." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE. MONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship India, from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained jumediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded un unless intimation is received from the Comsigness, before 11 o'clock a m. To par, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be counteralgued by he Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after SATUR-

Apent. Hongkong, April 26, 1880. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FROM LONDON, SINGAPORE AND

DAY, the 1st May, at Noon, will be subject

GADE CHAMPBAUX,

to rent and landing charges.

No Fire Insurance had been effected.

PENANC. TTIBE Steamship Radaprikire, D. vras. Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are being informed that the Goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanthal, whomse dalivery may be obtained. Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Whart are at liberty to do so. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 30th Instant will be No Fire Insurance has been effected.

ADAMSON, HRILLA Co.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Hongkong, April 28, 1880.

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE. NIEW AND POPULAR

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Educational, HISTORICAL, WORKS OF REFERENCE, Fiction, and

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Cornwell's "Geography." Cornwell's "Arithmetic." Cornwell's "Grammar." Murray's "Grammar." MacCulloch's "Course of Reading." "Practical Arithmetic," Senior. Smith's "Smaller History of Greece." Smith's "Smaller Bistory of Rome." Motley's "Rise and Fall Dutch Republic." Motley's "United Netherlands." Barneveld's." Life and Death." "Enquire Within." Norice' " Epitome."

" Ingoldaby Legends." Humes' " Essays." Smith's " Wealth of Nations." " Boys' Own Treasury." " Comic History of England." " Comic History of Rome."

" Carpenter's Synonyms." Roget's "Thesaurus," Crabb's " English Synonyma." Anderson's "Mercantile Correspondence. Blakeley's "Commercial Dictionary." "Slang Diotlonary." Nuttall's "Standard Dictionary."

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NOVELS! MOVELSI BCHOOL BOOKS, MAPS, &c., &c.

Hongkong, March 24, 1880.

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and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alonguide. Cargo impeding the ducharge or re-

maining on board after Tuesday, the 27th Instant, will be landed and stored at Consignees' expense and risk. No Fire Insurance will be effected. MITSU BISHI MAIL S. S. Co.,

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Hongkong, April 24, 1880. WHITE STAR LINE.

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No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. B. EMORY,

Hongkong, April 24, 1880.

intimations.

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HAIPHONG. The Steamship -Capt. McCaslin, will be despatched for the above Ports TO MURROW, the 29th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 28, 1880 OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGBAI VIA AMOY.

for CHRECO, NEWCHWANG, TIER

RUSSELL & Co.

TSIN, HANKOW and Forts on the YANGTSZE.) The Co 's Steamship " Patroclus." Captain M. R. WHITE, will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 1st May, at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, April 28, 1880.

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. Bteamship

expected here about the 8th Prox., will have quick despatch. A. McIVER.

Superintendent. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, April 28, 1880.

NOTICE, COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, FOINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT

SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES; ALBO.

PORT LOUIS. ON SATURDAY, the 8th of May. 1880, at Noon, the Company's S. ANADYR. Commt. DE BOISSEUIL BARON. with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this Port for the

above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marzellles, and socepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 7th of May, 1880. (Parcels are not

to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Agent. Hongkong, April 28, 1880.

Not Responsible for Debts.

ATesther the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :--

ANNIE S. HALL, American barkentine, Capt. Chas. H. Nelson .- Wieler & Co. WANDERING MINSTREL, British barque, Capt. W. Sivewright .- Siemssen & Co. OTTO, British brig, Captain F. A. Koch. -Landstein & Co.

Compron. British steamer, Captain J Cowie,-Siemssen & Co. SERAPIS, British steamer, Capt. Samuel

F. North -- Melchers & Co.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

April 27, 7 p.m., Chinkiang, British steamer, 799, S. M. Orr, Bangkok April 20. Rice.—Siemssen & Co. April 27. Benarty, British steamer, 1119, Potter, Saigon April 23, Rice. GIBB, Li-

April 28, Ping-on, American steamer, from Canton. April 28. Patroclus, British steamer

1650, White, Liverpool March 6, Port Sale 21, Colombo April 8, Penang 16, and Singapore 20. General. BUTTERFIELD & April 28, Namoa, British steamer, 862

Westoby, Foochow April 25, Amoy 26, and The following hours are observed in closing Swatow 27, General - Douglas LAPRAIK April 28, India, Portuguese troop-ship, Goods undelivered after 80th instant will | 822, Augusto Marguesda, Macao April 27. April 28, Cassandra, German steamer,

937, Langer, Shanghai April 24, General.-Siemssen & Co. April 28, Manuel, Spanish schooner, 282, T. de Egueliver; Hoilo April 16, Sugar.-

April 28, Georg, Siamere barque, 449, H. April 28, Claverhouse, British ateamer, 784 James Brown, Salgon April 27, Gene-

DEPARTURES. Apr. 28, Glenearn, for Hankow. CLEARED. Decima, for Salgon.

ral.-Mayer & Co.

my20 Penedo, for Newchwang.

ABBLYED. Par Patroclus, from Liverpool, Sta., Rev. and lady, Sent. Dr. Carvaiter and lady and Overland Uhina Mail, and Chena Review. 8 children, and 328 Chinese deck.

Per Namos, from Court Ports, Mr H.

Marcal, 1 Kuttpean Gook, and 197 Chinese. Par Chulding, from Bangkok, 50 Ohl-Der Benarty, from Balgor, 2 Buropeans, Per Georg, from Bangkok, 4 Chinese Per Claser house, from Hollow, 77 Chil-

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. 2 p.m. -Breconshire leaves for Hankow.

Per Decima, for Salgon, 486 Chineso. Per Penedo, for Newchwang, 10 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS The Brillsh steamer Chinking reports: Left Bangkok at 1.80 p.m. the 20th inst., arrived at Hongkong at 7 p.m. on the 27th inst To Camboga Point hard squalls, high cross ses, and heavy rain from the westward, thence to Paderan light S.W. winds and fine weather; from Padaran to arrival light N.E. wind and fine weather. On the 22nd. oke S. S. Rojanattianuhar and Tunis off Camboga Point.

Fine weather all the way. The British steamer Namoa reports : Left Foochow on the 25th inst., experienord light Northerly winds and fine wea-(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates ther, arrived in Amoy on the 26th and left same evening; arrived in Swatow on the 27th and left same evening for Hongkong experienced light Southerly winds and fine weather to port. in Foochow: H. M. S. Frolic, S. S. Hae shan and Europe. In Amoy: R. O. Ling Feng, S. S. achilles, and Diamante. In Swatow: S. S. Chentoo, Ajax, Glenariney, Castello, Yothung,

The British steamer Patroclus reports:

Kian, and Wenchow. The British steamer Claverhouse reports: Left Heihow at 6 a.m. on 27th with 22,000 SUMPAY. May 2:packages of general cargo, 77 passengers (Chinese) and 60 pigs. Had light N.E. breeze and thick feg from 3 a.m. to 6 a.m. this morning, then calm weather to port. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Stramers at Holhow, China Merchant's steamer, H.M.S. Magpie. Bellona sailed at 6 a.m. yesterday for Pakhol.

Lee Yuen, Yungching, Pechili, Chang Hock

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-For NEWCHWANG .--Per Penedo, at 11,30 a.m. To-morrow, the 29th just., instead of as previously

FOR SHANGHAI AND HANKOW .-Per Brecombire, at 1.30 p.m., on Thurs-

day, the 29th inst., instead of as previously notified. For MANILA. Per Diamante, at 3.30 p.m. To-morrow, the 29th inst.

For HOIHOW, PAKHOL, AND HAL-FRIDAY, May 21 :--PHONG.-Per Pington, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the 29th inst. For BANGKOK. -

Per Æolus, at 0.30 p.m., on Friday, the 80th inst. BOURNE. Per Norminby, at 1.80 p.m., on Friday,

the 30th inst. For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS .-Per Atholi, at 2.80 p.m., on Friday, the 30th inst.

the 30th inst.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.—

Australian Colonies

O. 15 P.M. - Registry ceases.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet City of

Tokio, will be despatched on SATUR:

for Japan, San Francisco, the United

States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, de.

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(except the Bahamas and Hayti)

Monte Video, Paraguay, and Uruguay

which will be closed as follows:---

0.30 P.M. -- Post-Office closes, but Letters

Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies

cannot be sent by this route.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.-

The French Contract Packet Anadyr wil

HOURS OF CLOSING

THE ENGLISH MAIL.

1 P.M. - Money Order Office closes.

and patterns ceases.

departure...

Day before Departure .-

4.10 r.m. - Letters may be posted with

The following hours are observed in cosing

Mails, &c., by the British Contract

P.M. Registry of Letters coases.

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Posting of all printed matter

he despatched on SATURDAY

the 8th May, with Mails to and

through the United Kingdom and

Europe, via Naples; to Saigon, Straits

Hongkong, April 12, 1880.

and Alexandria.

the Mails, do.

Packet :-

Day of Departure,---

until the time of departure.

lat May.

FOR AMOY AND SHANGHAL-Per Patroclus, at 4 80 p.m., on Saturday, the 1st May. For JAPAN via KOBB .-

Per Niigata Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.-Per Namoa, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the

MEDICINES.

The British Contract Packet Kashgar will be despatched on SATURDAY. the lat May, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Water, Lemonade, Tonio Water, Europe vid Brindisi: to the Straits Gingerade, Potass Water, Sarsaparilla Settlementa, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Water, and other Aerated Waters. India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib-N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the

continuous European Supervision. Hongkong, June 1, 1876. DAY, the 1st May, with Mails

other persons who may desire to consult the files of local, China, Japan, American, English, Indian or Australian newspapers, are invited to call at the "CHINA MAIL" Office, where ever sixty newspapers, dallies and weeklies. from these countries, are now filed for reference.

The publication of this issue commerced

The China Itail. HONGHONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28, 1880

4.80 P.M. - when the Post Cflice closes 4.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted

Noon, subject to rent and landing kong. Mr Irving was made a companion experiences of fortune, with the approval

wards made a Knight of the same order; The cast was as follows :---Paylight. - Namoa leaves for Coast Ports. he thus comes amongst us with a Lady Matilda Vavasour, Mrs Hockey, handle to his name and has not his Lillan Vavasour, Mrs Bernard. of the smaller West India Islands, Mermaduke Vavascur, Keq., (0) 2 p.m .- Auction of Household Furniture, comprising an area of 1,704 square Samuel Brown (4 Liverpool miles, or 1,120,000 square acres of which Merchant) Mr. Crrapable. dro, at No. 8, Mosque Terrace, (by

amount of public revenue in 1878 was 4 30 p.m. - Meeting of the Members of £420,000, the expenditure £405,000; in 1873, were £643,500; the exports £1,248,500. The revenue and ex-Noon.-Tendors for Naval Yard works penditure of the Colony in 1850 were Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of respectively £88,000 and £77,000 so that

4 p.m.-Sale of "The Oriental Hotel 3 p.m -Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer Oceanic leaves for Yokohama cluding the Governor, who is President.

3 p.m. -Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'4 six official and eight unofficial members, Steamer Belgic leaves for Yokohama all of whom are nominated by the Crown: there is no representative Assembly. and San Francisco, 1 .

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Shippirg.

4 p m .- Diamante leaves for Mapile.

Meeting.

General Memoranda.

2 p.m. - Norma by leaves for Cooktown,

Goods per Octanio undelivered after this

Goods per Radnorshire undellvered after

5 p.m .- Patroclus leaves for Shanghai.

5 p.m -English Mail leaves for Ports

9 p.m. -- Meeting of Zetland Lodge.

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MONDAY, May 10:-

WEDNEBDAY, MAY 5:--

SATURDAY, May 8:-

FRIDAY, April 30:-

SATURDAY. May 1:-

charges.

MONDAY, May 3:-

TUESDAY, May 4:--

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hams and San Francisco.

9 p.m. -Meeting of Perseverance Lodge.

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OUR latest advices from Home, our of stage work which not only reflected pamby, individual, and her ideas, of readers will be glad to hear, corroborate the greatest predit upon those concerned Rustin and Telephon are not very well what we have already said as to the in its creation, but it was something defined; her pensive said as to the in its creation, but it was something defined; her pensive said as to the extreme likelihood of Mr Hennessy which in itself is calculated to raise the become oppressive under the circumstance. Settlements, Batavia, Burmab, Coylon, being removed from this Colony at an tone of the drama in this Colony (if stances, and her motions of art are not India (via Madras), Australia, New early date and his valuable labours indeed there be room for that) and to very early fitted in to the oast. So it Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, Aden, Suez, being transferred to another Colony, maintain the already high taste of the seemed last might, and later Legens probably to Tasmania. The recent community. This may be regarded as a may have a better obstore beres time: The usual hours will be observed in closing ceremony of promoting him from the slightly "pre-raffe le-tite" way of patting she looked the part exceedingly well. position of a mere Companion of St. it; and rather an attempt to initiate . We were somewhat disappointed with Michael and St. George to be a Knight Fanny Bunter, the lacksdaisical follows: Alc. And a revision of Managed to Commander of that Colonial order, and of Ruskin, who was to guide her lover concer or was it the author's version of telegraphing the same to him direct, "to the aweet Symbolism of Mature," that was a would be reclining favours the assumption that the Con- But it is nevertheless true; and husband and food latest and server serve Party, before laying down the we consider the scenic trumphs of everything to be successful to his strongreins of office, had done towards Mr. lest evening sufficiently important to minded wife were there with succession Hennesey both the acts that the weird justify the most species mention post for there was sometime leading. As women promised. When the mail was sible. The happy manner in which Mr. Audi has shown unusual power in made up which arrived here the other the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters suited to the differing chyles of gentality and characters are characters. day it was mentioned in political circles, vulgarity, were hit off even in the been the mentioned in political circles, vulgarity, were hit off even in the been the mentioned in political circles, vulgarity, were hit off even in the been the mentioned in political circles, vulgarity, were hit off even in the been the mentioned in political circles, vulgarity, were hit off even in the been the mentioned in political circles, vulgarity, were hit off even in the been the been the mentioned in political circles, vulgarity, were hit off even in the been the been the mentioned in political circles, vulgarity, were hit off even in the been the been the mentioned in the mentioned in the mentioned in the been the mentioned in the been the mentioned in the where such changes are generally known dressing of the count and their econpents Crysperkle, as Course dispute was a pretty early and pretty accurately that showed low thereughly the place was energy partil because the Sir Henry T. Irving, K.C.M.C., whose mastered, understood and placed on the attractive case. He place as the place of the term of office as Governor of Trinidad stage from the ruling idea of the comedy a little mote person later ther scenario is about expiring, will be the new down to the smallest detail of its so where ruin seek less detail the Governor of Hongkong. We shall be ourories. In this of course there, was but the que assure of the our sales as

all probability be infinitely for the better Brown holds a morigage on the estate,

of St. Michael and St. George on his of the dever mame and the weak-minded promotion to Trinidad and was after squire. 100,000 are under cultivation. The Bertie Fits Urse. Mr Leeke.
amount of public revenue in 1878 was Berthold Blacenbelg. (A Mining it has come forward largely of late years. The constitution is somewhat akin to she deserves all praise. Practice makes that of our own Colony, the Government perfection; and this lady memos to gain being administered by a Governor and in power in grasping the full conception on Executive Council of three members, of a character. Her Lady Marida was

"NEW MEN AND OLD ACRES ATTITUE

we had that pleasure last night, when character; and she acted it to perfection. the members of the Amateur Dramatic One feels that the commonplace expres-Club of Hongkong presented this piece sions usually to hand in describing such as their fourth performance of the entertainments fall short of the reality season. It may be questioned whether when speaking of Mrs Bernard's appearlast night's audience were not the gainers ances. It is an unqualified pleasure to characters were concerned, the parts ease, grace, and perfect sotion are some-might have been specially written for thing wonderful, and her power to depict those who filled them. There was the character amounts to something very like usual bumper house; and the usual genius. She was the gay, tens bearted girl "leading residents" -- Sir John and of eighteen to the life; and as she pour-

Mrs Geddes, etc -- were present. The or to tears as she willed. There was not a evening was warm, and cooling drinks point missed, not a houtant or ascertain. would have been very acceptable had word-indeed, the words of the piece as they been there; but this is by the by, words were forgotten in the life that was blameless in tone; and the manner in | can achieve - amateur or professional-which it was placed on the stage was to merge the actor into the character. almost faultless. Indeed, were it not No criticism, beyond an analysis of Mrs. for the additional zest imparted to the Bernard's excellencies, can be passed play by a personal knowledge of the upon her performance, and that has been actors, the tendency to judge our Amar done on former commons. She was teurs on the highest professional platform cailed before the curtain at the end of becomes stronger the oftener they appear. the second sol, and such settingly real. The scenery and stage effects, too, were ceived. The loud, bounding Mes Buster of the most perfect description; and was the part taken by Mrs Chervan since the retirement (from prudential and by the style which she maintained reasons) of Mr Prior from this harmless throughout more than by the amount recreation, the Club have been peculiarly of work she had to do, the schieved a mucfortunals in the possession of a Secretary cess. Her seemes with Lady Matilda were whose testa stems to rival his capacity for very affective, by reason of the happy hard work and desire to see everything conception such lady had formed of the "spick and span." In association with extremes they represented. The part of Mr Baptista, Dramatde R.A. for South Paners Bunker was undertaken by a lady China, the scenic effects produced last who has previously been a stranger to night exceeded in finish anything we the stage, and a slight diffidence inhave yet seen. "The Croquet Lawn in terfered with the full delineation of the the Runs of Cleve Abley was a piece blanagier. Farmy is a superior almoy-

glad to hear by next mail in the constitution of effort of the saure a whole was sectedly in respice whice yet is sent on this statement. We connot: Company. One of the most pleasure the practical business its perturbation of the past in New Man and benousable pasters. Business its few man and benousable pasters.

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and that it cannot well, by any possibi- and Lady Matilda fixed upon him as w lity, be much for the worse. Uptil some | bustand for Lilian, to retrieve the family definite information is before us we can fortune. While gentility, breeding and sny little of the new Governor promised bigs blood are represented by the Vavaus, or of what thunder of man he is. souts and their surroundings, the wal-6 p.m.—Ping On leaves for Hollow, &c. Only we know that Mr H. T. Irving, garity of purse-proud shooldy ism is after eight years' service as clerk in the delineated by Mr Bunter and his wife Colonial Office, (which he entered in and the loudness of their style. Bunter November 1854, or rather mere than a is assisted in his operations by a suspoing quarter of a century ago) was appointed agent. Berthold Blassmanly, who dis-Private Secretary in 1860 to Sir F. covers harmatic on the cutaty and in-Rogers, now Lord Blackford, who was augurates a scheme by which Slaves A bler then Under Secretary of State for the may be bought from the Vavasoura. In Colonies, and served under him until he the meantime, however, Secker (the hegal (Mr Irving) was, in June, 1868, ap- adviser of the Vavasours) and Brown the pointed Colonial Secretary at Jamaica, merchant (who is in love with Lilian He went thence to Ceylon in May 1869 Vavasour) have also discovered the and occupied, in the Island of Coffee, mineral wealth of the colate, and the Linnsmon and Cocoanuts, the post of preservation of the ancient family and Daylight.—Miteu Bishi Mail leaves for Colonial Secretary till 1873, when he the niter discomfiture of the Buntar Yokohama, &c. was appointed Governor of the Leeward conspiracy are thus effected at one and 1 p.m.-American Mail leaves for Yoko- Islands (£3,000 per annum) and pro- the same time. Fanny, the ischeditional moted thence to Trinidad (£4,000) in seathelic, and a young sprig of aristroraby July 1874. Thus, it would be now a fair named Fitz-Urea, get engaged; and and substantial promotion for him to be Brown, the Liverpaul merchant, and Goods per Peine undelivered after appointed to the governorship of Hong. Illian see married, after all the checkered

> Apent and Financier Mr Wyhne.

Gentry, Butler at Cleve Abbey Mr Bookey. Montmorency, (Servant to Bunter) Mr Hawkins. Taking the actors in the above order, Mrs Hockey claims first attention, and There is also a Legislative Council, in most natural, and the various situations in the lengthy role entructed to her were well studied and carefully realised in her own mind. It was therefore easy for the audience to comprehend the nituation. The higher and more difficult touchessuch as the struggle between her worldly schemes and her sense of duty and affection-were well drawn, and exhibited Eleven years ago, "New Men and the power of the representation; and as Old Agree," the joint work of Tom Mrs Hockey is now an experienced and Taylor and A. W. Dubourg, was per-fluished actress, there were few if any formed at the Haymarket Theatre in weak points to notice, As Lilian Vacca-London. We did not see it then; but sour, Mrs Bernard had the most amable -certainly, so far as nine tenths of the see this gifted lady on the stage. Her Lady Smale, the Hon. Mr March, Co. trayed the joys and serrows of this English lonel and Mrs Hall, Lieut. Colonel and girl, the swayed the audience to laughter being lived before the sudience. This The comedy is sprightly in style and is the greatest triumph which any astross

have placed over us, whosever may be old worse was its usulmobile, or his us anchor of the position one who will give Hockey of the part of the old Basier. At the basis of the part of the position one who will give Hockey of the part of the old Basier. At the basis of the part of the position one who will give Hockey of the part of the old Basier.

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one of the many points of his heavy role. Governor approves the appointment, he is He brought down the house over and at liberty to proceed. over again, and was exceedingly happy and accupulently exact throughout. his schemes collapsed and his resulting got exposed, his expression of feature was worthy of the highest admiration. The get-up of Berthold Blasenbalg was exceedingly happy, and Mi Wynnes representation of the wily Chromin for the last quarter of a century. financier was very natural and successful : a fact which was attested to by the hearty applause of German friends pre sont. Mr Shrub has been successful in everything he has yet attempted, and Secker the lawrer, was not an exception: he also was admirably got up, and was unrecognisable save by his voice and the THE telegram to hand to day giving further

twinkle of his eye. As a whole, the piece was exceedingly smooth-all working together most perfeetly towards the one great end, viz. success. The scenery, as we have said. was of unusual excellence; and if a proof is needed that high comedy can be appreciated, especially with the assistance of ladies much as those who now appear to make it thoroughly batural and consistent the heartiness of the applause may be taken as conclusive. There was Exchequer as well. We shall all swalt with real grief this time. The S. S. Hydraper, some confusion caused by late arrivals, curloslty, if not with impatience, the inner bound for Australia, has put into Bombay for ten minutes after the play commono history of how the Cablest has been made propeller blades between Suez and Aden. ed, which might be avoided on future occasions. The Band of the 27th Inniskillings performed between the acts, and gave the usual pleasure.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "CHIRA MAIL." A. & O. Telegraph Co.'s Line.)

THE LIBER IL MINISTRY. London, April 20.

The following appointments have been made in the new Ministry :--Lord High Chancellor, Lord Selborne.

Secretary of State for War, Mr. Childers. Secretary of State for India, Lord Hartington. First Lord of the Admiralty, Lord

Northbrook. Chief Secretary for Ireland, Mr. Forster.

LOUAL AND GENERAL.

MR H, de Courcy Forbes has been added to the Directorate of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank.

MESSES P. M. Alves and Gordon Stafford Northcote have been appointed valuators for the current year.

THE British steamer Guy Mannering, from London, left Singspore yesterday for this port. She is consigned to Messrs Melchers

His Excellency the Governor's appointment to be a K.C.M.G. is officially notified in the Gazette, in all the glory of widely leaded type, with Chinese translation to match.

THE China Navigation Coy.'s steamer, the Ping on has been taken off the Shanghal-Tientsin line, and will run for a time between Hongkong, Canton, and the ports in Hainan.

her mind upon obtaining from the Chinese. A PARADE and inspection of the Government The post of Mr Arendt as interpreter has and Volunteer Fire Brigades will take been temporarily filled by M. von Möllenplace at the Central Fire Brigade Station, on Monday afternoon next, the 3rd prox., at half-past four o'clock.

the fact that we were wrong the other night proposed to take place simultaneously at in our reference to Mr Goschen's election. Kobe, Bhanghai and Hongkong. The com-That eminent Laberal has not been elected petitors will be the Robe Regatta and Athfor the City of London, as we stated, as he lette Club, the Shanghai Volunteers and the and his constituents were at variance on Hongkong Artillery Voluncers, eight men was elected, however, for Ripon, where the and the number of rounds per rifle seven at Liberale were content to sink the question each distance. Any rifle with the ordinary 1 .- The Chu-ka-sa Cup. Mr Risk's Strathin dispute for the present -Another cor military sight may be used, but no sighting shot respondent bindly draws our attention to will be allowed. The target is to be 6 feet by 4 Charles Russell.

turned out to be a complete failure, the Ser- the maton was left to Hongkong, but was geant Major and some eight or ten members | not to come off before the 12th proxime, and only being present. It was scarcely to be we are informed that Saturday the 15th has expected otherwise, seeing that the Com- been selected, being one which will not inmandant and several N. C. officers and Gunners were taking part in the Amateur performance at the Thestps Royal City Hall. while the bulk of the remainder was distributed amongst the audience. Another notable absences at a mosnlight dell was the moon herself who falled to put in an appear. who left the Colony some few weeks ago. Geery's lecture to-pigit will be a greater tapin to come off at some period to be fixed 6.—The Concordia Cup. Mr Risk's ferred to gambling transactions. aucross so far at least as the attendance of after the present match has been concluded. members is concerned, and that the Captain himself will prove a furthery of sufficient Tun latest Bhanghai papers note the deimportance to attract a respectable moster. | was Luise which arrived here yesterday; she

Total Company of the state of t on the decaded support the second little leave Foreign for Anger Honekong and to louis. Consequently to the second of the

Mr. Robert Jardine, head of the house Mours Jardine, Matheson & Co., has been returned for the county of Dumfries, in the Liberal interest. It is the first time the county has been represented by a laberal

"Ir appears," says the London Examiner from the information that has reached us from St. Petersburg, that Chung How was bribed into acquiescence with the Russian demanda."

information as to the formation of the new ministry is not so satisfactory as we should have liked. It makes us suspect the literal accuracy of Lord Hartington's recent words that the Liberal Party is now more united than ever it was, and it does not provide for the supremacy of that eminently moderate clung to the North-West appointment and tone of counsel so requisite with Mr Gladstone as Premier and Chancellor of the We give the last Liberal Cablest to allow of comparison with the names of the present so far as they are yet to hand :-

...Mr Gladstone. Lord High Chancellor, ... Lord Selborne. Lord President Lord Aberdare. Chancellor of Exchequer, Gladatons (Lowe) Home Secretary Mr Lowe (Bruce) Foreign Secretary, Lord Granville. Secy, for the Colonies ... Lord Kimberley. Secy. of State for War. Mr Cardwell. Secy. of State for India, Duke of Argyll.

FROM Peking our advices are to the effect that the situation was calm on the surface but anything underneath. That is to say that the volcanie elements generally attendant upon the supremacy of the anti-foreign party might break out at any moment. Every one of the Foreign Representatives is more or less anxious concerning the result | Mr Lowe :of this Court intrigue, and the health of the Empress-Dowager (Western) was of the greatest consequence to all those interested. It was generally supposed that the able and practical Representative for Germany had taken advantage of the situation, and arranged his little Convention amending one or two matters in the German Treaty. This supposition is strengthened by the fact that Mr Arendt, who has been for the last thirteen years at Peking, has at last obtained a run home on leave and left this in the Oxus a few days ago. This gentleman, who more than any one else filled the great blank left in the Capital by the death of Mr. Mayers, was the trusted interpreter of Mr Von Brandt: and we do not doubt but he carries with him the few articles in the small Convention said lately to have been "arranged." What these articles are can be known only after they are made public in Germany; but it is noteworthy that Germany is the nation which among the eleven powers represented

at Peking, alone can obtain what she sets

Some considerable impatus is likely to be A contrapordent draws our attention to given to rifle shooting by a triangular match the question of the equalisation of the on each side. Distances, 150 yards (stand-County and Burnh franchise. Mr Goschen ing), 200 and 300 yards (any position), for York, is son of the previous member, | luner, and a 2 foot mag-pie, the whole to be It was of course sallo of the pen to put circular. The value of hits to be, for a bull down Means Pawcett and Holms as of the | o, an inner 4, a mag-pie 3 and an outer 2. same solour as Mr W. H. Smith and Sir An entrance fee of \$2 each man will be charged for the purchase of a Cup to be preteriers with mail days either here or in the north. Ten pames have been submitted to the Commandant for the selection of the wight to form the Hongkong team, but though baying every confidence in the men selected, we miss the name of our best man ance. We trust however, that Captain match at the longer distances is also on the R.—The Shanghal Stakes. Mr Fernando's

parture on the 22nd of the German man-of. S .- The Boadsters' Plate. Ten Broock's had been detained at Shanghal owing to Wire segard to the arrangements for want of water on the Bar. Her relief, the

Covernment as his loous tenens, and if the four followers concerned in the crime, shot, comes South

On Monday evening, the 5th instant, a serious fight took place between sallers and soldiers in the Assembly Rooms, Rangoon, while "Our Bays' Comedy Dompany" were playing "A Lemon in Love."

Thus are from the latest Indian Herolds (Allahabed) to hand ;-

A telegram to the Civil and Military Gazette, from Penhawur, announces that Mi O'Bourke, Clerk, Field Commissariat Office. Beenwal, shot his wife dead on Sunday last, about four miles out of the station at the Budanai bridge. The Volunteers in India appear to have

was explained to him the other day, it is said that his mouth watered over the idea of soldiers who got no pay. Sir John Stracher is to receive a bonus of Ra. 50,0001 It is said to take the form of a sort of remuneration to the Hon'able Gentleman for sacrificing some Re- 20 000 a year in giving up the Lieutenant-Governorship of the North-West for the post of Finance Minister. Que y-Could India not have secured as good a financier for the pay without the bonus, and would not Sir John have done less harm had he

lita superior emoluments ? We are sorry to see that another P. and steamer has come to grief, though not The Amont has taken on the passengers among whom is Sir W. Robinson, the new Governor of South Australia.

POLO CLUB.

A meeting of those interested in the formation of a Polo Club was held in the Hongkong Club yesterday evening.

Present :- Major Hales, Idents. Charley, Tunnard, Davidson, Sanders, Steele, (27th Regt.) Dr Bleunerhauset, A.M.D. Capt. Geary, R.A.; Messes J. Grant, Lowe, Jorey, Lieut, Friend, R.E.

Major Hales was elected to the chair. After some discussion, it was proposed by Capt. Geary, R.A., and seconded by Lieut Tunnard :-- That a Polo Club be formed (open to Officers Army and Navy. members of the Hongkong and German Clubs), with an entrance fee of \$5 and a quarterly subscription of \$2 for all mem-

An amendment was proposed by Blennerhasset, A.M.D., and seconded by "That there be an Annual Subscription

of \$5 for all members, and a monthly subscription of \$1 for playing members After considerable discussion on the ad-

vantages of drawing distinctions between playing and non-playing members, the amendment was put to the meeting and Major Hales was chosen President of the Club, and Lieut, Charley, Dr Blennerhauset

carried by 2 votes. and Lieut. Tunnard, were chosen for the Committee. Lieut. Friend, R. E., consented to attempt the duties of Honorary Secretary and Treasurer for the present. The Rules. Regulations, &c., of the Club, were left to the Committee to arrange. The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the chair. After the meeting the names of 13 playing and 5 non-playing members, were re ceived. Names of intending members playing or non-playing, will be received by the Hon. Secretary addressed to the Hongkong

CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor of the "CHIMA MAIL."

April 28th, 1880. Sir. - A correspondent, in this morning's issue of the Daily Press, who signs himself "Truth" and who is evidently an authority on the duties and responsibilities of the Chief Justice, the Attorney General, Countel and Registrar, requests " the opportunity of making a few respectful comments audi alteram partem." What can he possibly mean?

L'HOMME QUI BIT.

SHANGHAI SPRING RACE MEETING. Stewards; -- Jas. Hart, Esq., P. D. Hitch, Rad., G. W. Coutts, E.q., A. McLood, Esq., C. L. Grant, Esq., J. Bell-Irving, Eig . H. Overbeck, Esq.

Clerk of the Course :- Barnes Dallas, Esq. PERST DAY. Monday. April 26.

the fact that the Me of Lienan, returned feet, with an 8 inch bull's eye, a 1 foot 3.—The Griffins Plate. Major Bagetock's A.—The Oathay Cup. Me Risk's Strath-5.-The Yangteze Stakes. Mr Paul's Braw The first, third, and fourth defendants were 6.—The Jockey Cup. Mr Choufleur's of playing tickets and there were a lot of sented to him who makes the highest score 7,-The Taotai's Cup. Mr John Peel's THE Volunteer Parade ordered for last night in the match. The fixing of the date for 8.—The Bacing Stakes. Dead heat,—Mr J. S. Fearon's Ricochet, and Mr Risk's

> SECOND DAY. Tuesday, April 27.

Strathaird. Divided.

The Flyaway Plate. Major Bagstock's -The Shanghai Derby, Mr Rick's Strainaird. The Spring Cup. Major Bagetock's 4-The Race Clob Cop. Me Avly's Day-

7.—The Tastlee Cup. Mr Fungus' Wednesday, April 28.

.- The Shanghai Club Cap. Mr. Risk's .-The Greet Northern Plate Mr. Rier's Strathpeffer. The Chau Shang Kink Dup. Mr Risk's had been invited. There was a full atten Consequence of the particle of the society of the s

Police Intelligence. "(Before C. V. Creagh, Esq.) Wednesday, April 28.

EXTENSIVE BOBBERY OF JEWELLERY. Young As23, an amah, was charged with jewellery of the approximate value of \$8000, the property of her mistress. Alexandre A. Ros da Silva said he repuzzled Yakoob Khan. When the system ture. The bag now produced was not in may be congratulated on a great success. the house. It was the one in which his slater always carried her jewellery when travelling. After going over the house and unding every thing correct he paid the servants and discharged them, giving each of them a present by directions of his brother-in-law. The defendant had been in his sister's employment for two months as amab, and was one of those he paid off on the 26th. All the servants left the house on being paid and two watchmen were put in charge. About 9 o'clock yes terday evening he received a telegram from his brother-in-law at Salgon, at which port the steamer had called upon which he went again to the house and made a more careful search for the bag but it was not to be found. He then reported the matter at Central Station. He now corrected his statement as to the value of the jewellery and said it was worth about \$5000 or \$6000 Several articles are missing.

Sergeant Toomey, said, about 11 o'clock last night he was informed, at the Charge Room, of the robberg. He went with Sergeant Pang Aloi to Aberdeen Street and found one of Mr Abella's chair coolies, who took them to No. 8 Kal Yup Lane. He knocked at the door and defendant opened the door. On being told to show her boxes she pulled from beneath the bed a small basket, and the box in court, as also a bag. The bag contained the lyory case of jewellery, case of coral carrings and the two empty cases produced. The box contained the rest of the jewellery in court. Defendant unlocked the box with a key she took from a purse on the table. There was a man in the room whom defendant called her husband. The room was very small and contained only a bed, a table and two or three baskets. There was no clothes-box. The jewel-bag was far

back under the bed. The whole of the room was searched but nothing further Bergeant Pang Alol corroborated the last Jose Antonio Remedice, merchant, residing in Caine Road, proved receiving the telegram at 7 o'clock last night. It purported to be from Mr Abella, Salgon, who is one of his constituents. He understood "Alexandre" to be Mr de Silva, and "Glafira" to mean Mrs Abella, He went at once in search of Mr Silva, and found him in the Club Lusitano about 9 o'clook. The telegram runs as follows :---

"Tell Alexandre if he did not find lafira's bag jewels forgetten in bed-room arrest all servants especially amah." The case was remanded till friday next.

(Before the Hon. O. B. Plunket.)

THEFT OF AN OPIUM-PIPE Cheng Sing Tsoi, a boatman, was charged with stealing an opium pipe on the 27th

Tai Achai, the keeper of an opium divan, said that yesterday morning defendant came to his shop and smoked opium. After he had left, witness missed a pipe and went after customer and found him with the pipe co cealed up the sleeve of his jacket. Defendant said he was a bostman. He did not steal the pipe, it was a false charge Complainant ran after him with the pipe in his hand.

This worthy had only been released from gaol yesterday morning, shortly before be committed this offence. His Worship ordered him to return the place whence he came for a period of one month, to be devoted to hard labour.

ANOTHER GAMBLING RAID. Id Ai. a hawker. Chun Ating, a cook Cheng Akiu, a butcher and Sin Aheung, carpenter, were charged, the two former with keeping a gambling house, and the two latter with haunting the same, on the 26th instant.

Inspector Graddock said, on the afternoon of the 26th he went with Inspector Perry and Sergeant Toomey, by virtue of warrant, to house No. 7 Thug Tak Lane. He went straight to the second floor which consists of a small room and a cookhouse there. The first was striking out a number blank tickets ready to be struck off. The second defendant was found in the cook-room and in his jacket pocket there were a lot of memoranda and a number of tickets. number of other articles used in Taze Fa were also found in the house.

First defendant said he was a water carrier. He was only amusing himself with the tickets. Second defendant devied any knowledge of the memoranda and tickets the Inspector said he found on him. He only went there

to borrow some money. Third defendant said he went there to consult a doctor about a bad leg. Fourth defendant said he was a carpenter and had been employed by a man to put up a partition, and went to receive a balance of 50 cents still due for that work. Hung Kam Shing, an interpreter to the Court explained that the papers found re-

esch fined \$50. in default one month's imrisonment with hard labour. The third and fourth defendants were each fined \$10. in default la days imprisonment with hard labour.

The lection Purse. Mr. Fernandos was held on the evening of the 22nd to do houone to the distruguished guests who The King in Plate My Pents Des Capilo de la Ousdre y Cabello; only door that had any chance of being Courses which would never be tolerand the Capilo Representative of the Grand Lodge of opened." In the Missions of the Society Cross Power of whom Ruisis stool Last sour alor nine o clock. The pustomery may do a great work in the same field. Zones writes a There can be no doubt Antenna

enjoyable evening to a close, several lades ment. In recking, undrained Indian Although thus the way to a praceful having accepted the invitation of the cities, in the blazing sun or in the chills settlement of the difference is not altogefraternal body to venture within the of night, the medical missionary is ther closed, and although the supposition "precinc s of light." We cannot let this opportunity pass without thanking Osptain Don Thomas Olleros for his kindness in instead of putting medical women at cations with China, has abandoned the lending his band on so many occasions and stealing, on the 26th inst., a bag containing to express a sincere hope that the Dona ought to be placed in stated areas, like premature, there are various circum. Maria de Molina may be permitted to a line of forts: they would thus, in stances indicating that the Russian Goreturn to Amoy, when a hearty welcome will be given to her Captain and officers. cornised all the articles of jewellery in | The Club Theatre, handsomely decorated Court as the property of his sister, Glafire by the officers of the Sheldrake, was thrown 8, de abella. His sister and her husband open to the public last evening. The band occupied the house No. 8 Mosque Street of the Spanish frigate was in attendance touched by Zenana teaching, but the Turkestan, which may serve for an expeup to Saturday the 24th instant, when they and after a selection from Faust, admirably left by the French Mail steamer for Kurope. played, it was found that ourses had been He had arranged with his brother-in-law accidentally laid down on the floor of the and his sister to take charge of their house auditorium. The Secretary of the Club and servants on their departure, and to pay having, been duly admonished, dancing the servants off when no longer wanted. On commenced and was kept up with remark-Monday morning he went over the house able vivacity till midnight. Refreshments to see if anything had been left behind by were served in the Reading Room. For a mistake. He found nothing but the furni- "scratch" affair the Committee of the Club

> BHANGHAI, (Courier, April 22.)

The "Castle" line steamer Loudoun Castle, arrived at the Red Buoy this afternoon from London. She is detained owing to want of water on the Bar. H.M.S. Vigilant arrived at Woosung this morning from Ningpo, and came up to Shanghai this afternoon. There are now three ad-The Iron Duke is at the Red Buoy.

vessels in port is increased to sixteen. About four hundred men belonging to the French war vessels in harbour paraded this afternoon 22nd and marched to the Race Course, where a variety of evolutions were gone through. The band of the Themis accompanied them, and several small guns were taken out. The parade was somewhat imposing, and elicited many commendatory remarks. The men returned after an absence of about three hours. A display of military and naval force may not be without good effect at the present moment, and it might be well if the other war vessels would follow the example and held occasional parades.

Manila. (Translated from our Manila Exchanges.) On the morning of the 18th instant at 10 o'clock, by invitation, a meeting took place in the office of M. sars B. M. Barretto or Hamburg instead of via Netherlands Co., to discuss the establishment of a Patent Slip in this capital. The site selected by the Engineer: Mr Robertson, the property of Mesers Vid I. situated in the Malecon del Norte. According to the estimate of the said Engineer the total sum necessary for capital is \$120,000. A committee was formed to discuss the rules, dre. composed of the following genulemen:-Mesars Emiliano de Olano. J. de Inchausti, Ramon Pozas, Z. I. de Aldecon, A. S. Macleod, Gonzalo Tusson, Mackenzie, Pedro P. Roxas, E. M Barretto, F. Roxas, and R. D. Tooker. These gentlemen were to meet again on the 15th at 4 p.m., in the office of Messra Smith, Bell & Co., but it was postponed till after the arrival of the steamer Lion: they however, met on the 16th, when they agreed to appoint a provisional board of directors to draw the rules of the comp ny and arrange other matters. board was composed as follows :- Mr B. A. Barretto, president; Mr José G. Rocha, vice-president : Messra E. de Olano, P. P. Roxas, Z. I. de aldeons, G. Mackenzie. 4. B. Macleod, Joaquin de Elizalde, Gonzalo Tusson, and F. L. Roxes, directors; Mr. standing between Russia and China in at M. Barretto, secretary; Mr Manuel the event of a war between the latter Marzano, lawyer; Mr Robertson, engineer and Japan. Now that it is seen that director, and the Hongkong and Shanghai there is little hope of the treaty which Banking Corpora ion, bankers. We believe

that the distinguished persons forming the and protection of the authorities who take pains for the prosperity of this vast archipelago, as well is of the public generally. News from Iloilo to the 20th instant says that at 3 minutes past 12 on the morning of the 9th, a strong shock of earthquake alarmed the whole inhabitants. The phe nomenon commenced with a shivering shock, which was followed almost immedistely by three other shocks much more violent than the former; the fourth shock was attended with oscillation which decreased in force little by little. duration of the earthquake, was of minutes and 48 seconds; the oscillatory movement was from E. to W. During the earthquake, houses of stout construction

were seen swinging like a hammock. At 3 20 on the same afternoon another strong shook was felt. The American ship Oakland left Hollo for New York with 1,856,664 kilograms sugar; the Spanish brigantine Manuel left for Hongkong with 894,713 kil. sugar and 6,700 kil, sapanwood. The steamer Churrues is said to have been chartered to load sugar at Ilnilo for Hongkoug, The steamer Diamante brought on the

19th instant \$276,000 in allver from Hong-The German barque Lima, Captain Mo ukusen, arrived at Manila from Cardiff

The following charters were effected up to the 21st instant :-- American ship Sun rise for New York, sugar in full, private. American ship Highland Light, for New Yark, dry sugar in full, one-half of which at \$11.50 per ton. British barone Corea. for London, 500 tons wet augar, the rest | fessing friendship with the Chinese emp. British barque Souvenir for New York to load at Hollo, dry sugar at \$12.50 per ton. She left for Iloilo on the 21st.

THE MEDICAL MISSIONARY. functions. A nower over the afflicted An emergent meeting of the Ionic Lod-e be remembered that Bishop Cotton west Chins, if these were once more set swa officer from the Spanish Frigate Done to practice in medicine. Women also The Vienna correspondent of The bonours were paid to the Representative of the dispensor; of a medical working that the Chinese Government has decided the dispensor; of a medical working the Chinese Government has decided the bonours were paid to the Representative of the dispensor; of a medical working the convention conducted them. come and a transportant J assessment to the property of the months of the property of the prop of the Masonic building brought a very will only be known at the day of judge. In not believed to be quite so difficult

districts of the East who are quite unmost bigoted among them are sometimes driven by stress of illness to call in the medical woman and thus, for the first time, to relise the power and the value of English and Christian sympathy. -Mission Life.

NEDERLANSCH-INDISCHE STOOMVAART MAATSCHAPPY.

(Batavia Dagblad, April 5.)

On Thursday last, the 1st April, the first stenmer of the newly opened Sourabaya-China line, the Graaf van Bylandt, belonging to the N. I. S. N Company, left Batavia for Macassar. Manila, Macao, Hongkung and Amoy, A N. I. Government subsidy was made available for the purpose last year, upon which the N. I. S. N. Company undertook the service on terms advantageous in port on Monday. By the arrival of the for the State, the Company having with Vigilant and Iron Duke, the number of war the approval of the Government lessened its trips to Australia from five to four. The Company has so connected its Australian and its China line that excepting accidents, the boats arriving from Australia can leave for China and those from China for Australia can proceed, thus offering the advantage of continuous navigation from China to Australia, between which the trade is already considerable. The usual time for the voyage from Sourabaya via the ports of call to China and back, estimated at 60 days, a very liberal allowance in our opinion. The importance of direct steam communication with China becomes easily intelligible when people consider that the whole of the Netherlands export to China finds its way thither via England and Singapore India; while also a very large portion of the trade from China to Java takes the circuitous route via Singanore. Add to this that the steamers plying from Sourabaya to China may convey portions of the traffic between China and Australia, that they will touch also at the Philippines, and that the export trade in our produce may become greatly extended by means of the new steam line, and people will then be able to understand that the departure of the first China boat on Thursday last is an even to which attention may well be paid.

RUSSIA AND CHINA.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph writes as follows:-Some months ago, shortly after the Livadia Treaty between Russia and China, I called your attention to the increasing Russian activity in the Pacific. I also pointed out the probability of an underwas drawn up at Livadia being ratified bard are a sure guarantee for the success by the Celestial Government, and that of the enterprise, and it deserves the help the differences between China and Japan appear likely to be settled by arbitration. the indignation of the Russian Foreign Office is immense. The non-fulfilment of the treaty which Chung How was induced to sign on behalf of his Government is attributed to the influence of the Western Powers at Peking. China is acoused of bad faith, and in their present anger the Russians show clearly enough the immense value which they attached to the China alliance. As I pointed out at the time, the Russian understanding with China was directed finally against England, although Japan was to be the first victim; and the desire to establish powerful naval stations in the Pacific was prompted by the hope of being able to disturb England's supremacy and tranquillity of her commerce in Eastern ocean. Now, the Russian diplomatists are forced to acknowledge that the scheme has for the present failed, and we shall probably see the gradual withdrawal of the Russian fleet which was assembled last autumn in the Pacific. The Russian complaints are most naive, and other Powers are warned that if China is allowed to break faith over the Livadia Treaty, there is no security that she will not do the same with regard to the various treaties she has contracted with the Western Powers. So far, however, no other Power has thought fit. during a time of peace, and whilst pro-Government, to seize an important piece of Chinese territory, and, after the lapse of several years, under a similar guise of friendship, to offer to restore half the stolen property on condition of receiving The practice of medicine is combined an enormous ransom from its rightful y many missionaries with their spiritual lowners. I hear on good authority that if the Chinese Government send shother bodies of men has necessarily a great Ambassador here, as it is rumoured that influence upon their hearts. At Saw- they are about to do, the Russian Forverpuram not only has the Rev. Dr eign Office will refuse to hold any official Strachan's house been besieged by communication with him until the suffering applicants for his aid, but the Livadia Treaty be duly ratified. I do acquaintance thus made with the hea- not believe, however, that under any then, who have come from all parts, has circumstances Russia will sliow; the commended to them the arguments of quarrel to proceed too fer. She is the Christian teacher whose good thoroughly aware that Chine is the most offices they had previously experienced. dangerous enemy she can have, and that Obviously the practice of medicine may Muscovite authority to Central Asta be made a valuable instrument in form. would even disappear before the advance ing the Native Church. It will perhaps of the Mongol horder of West and North stated it to be his opinion that the in motion. As the present time the line Medical Mission of the Church Mine Chinese are perpetually making investe Gay Manon that SOURTY BODIETY At Castron, was "the lote Russlaw territory, and bommisting Castle Bitte Contraction."

"Christ to the poor and needy." But that Russia, in view of possible complistations one thousand miles apart, they expedition to Mery is, perhaps, still epidemics of cholera or fever, be able to vernment is not losing sight of the join forces and to relieve each other. possibility of its having recourse to arms There are millions of women in entire in this matter. With this view it is gradually concentrating its troops in dition either against Mery or against the Chinese The Chinese Governor-General of Kashgar has given orders for the strictest control of border intercourse on the side of Russia. None but genuine merchants from Russia are benceforth to be allowed to pass the frontier, and even these are to sign a formal promise to return within, at latest, sixty days after the sale of their wares. The Governor General of Western Siberia has received orders to send a force of 5,000 men from his province at once into the Kuldja District, in view of the concentrations of Chinese troops. The regiments are to advance by forced Quotations.

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Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the dis-continuance of Notes & Queries on China and Japan, has induced the publish. ers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CHIMA REVIEW, or Notes and sons passing through the City, and Queries on the Far Kast, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such extra matter. The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage

The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage paid, per annum, payable by non-residents in Hongkong half-yearly in advance.

The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Customs, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelego and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number. invited is incorporated with each number. Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Por-Government Offices, the Secretariat, &c., tuguese, are admissible. Endeavours near the Public Gardens. are made to present a resume in each number of the contents of the most recent

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The China Review for July and August, 1875, is at hand. It says that forty-two essays were sent in to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should sub cribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty paged, bi-monthly, repertory of what scholars are ascertaining about China. The TNSURANCES against FIRE granted at | lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is Current Rates. Considerable Reduc- alone worth the price of the lieview. Adtion in Premia for LIFE Insurance in dress China Review, Hongkong.-Northern Christian Advocate (U.S.)

Trubner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the China Review:-" This of which has lately reached us from Hong. KEE, Lessees. kong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of Notes and Queries on China and Japan, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to Photographic Studio, 8, Queen's occupy a position, as regards China and the Road. neighbouring countries, somewhat similar Gen to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature. antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some auch channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Keview by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. In a paper on Dr. Legge's She King, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of honour is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predepessor in the field, and that the China Review may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intended to appear every two months, and will orm a substantial octavo magazine,

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List of Public Buildings. Government House, North of Public Gardens. City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and

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